(1)	(2)	(3)
		to 259.4 in Ahmedabad-Bombay Section.
11.	8	Strengthening of weak 2 lane pavement in km 344-381 (selected reaches) (15 km) in Ahmedabad-Bombay Section.
12.	8A	Strengthening of weak 2 lane pavement Section in km 114/0-127/0.
13.	8A	Strengthening of eark 2 lane pavement Section in km 182/0-192/0.
14.	8B	Strengthening of weak 2 lane Section in Km 150/0 to 160/0.
15.	8B	Strengthening of weak 2 lane Section in km 175/0 to 185/0.
16.	8B	Construction of Kutiyana Bypass.
17.	8C	Widening to 4 lane divided carriageway of existing 2 lane road in km 35/0-44.42.
18.	8C	Strengthening of km 0/0 to 5/o.
19.	14	Strengthening of km 30/0 to 40/0.
20.	14	Widening to 4 lane divided carriageway of km 140/7 to 144/4 of Palanpur Abu Road Section.
21.	15	Strengthening of selected weak 2 lane reaches in km 160/0-205/0.
22.	8A	Survey & Investigation for 4 laning of Gandhidham Samkhiyali Section.
23.	8	Reconstruction of Satnala bridge at km 374/0-2 on NH 8.
24.	8	Additional 2 lane bridge a/c Narmada near Zodeshwar in km 192 to 194 on NH 8.
25.	8	Construction of RCB near Surat (CHALTAN) @ km 252 of NH 8.

Tax On Income From Houses

4134. SHRI GIRDHARI LAL BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to make it compulsory for the houseowners to file income tax return annually so as to check the income-tax evasion effectively;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the other steps taken or proposed to be taken to check evasion of taxes on income from houses?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) A taxpayer deriving income from house property is required to file

return of income every year if his income inclusive of income from house property exceeds the maximum amount not chargeable to income tax. There is no proposal to make it compulsory for the house-owners to file return of income irrespective of the total income of such persons.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The Central Information Branches in the Investigation wing of the Income-tax Department collect information relating to house properties from various sources such as municipal corporations, construction companies and housing co-operative societies. The information is then verified and forwarded to Assessing Officers for taking appropriate action in the cases where tax evasion is suspected.

[English]

Evasion of Excise Duty by Cigarette Manufacturers

4135. SHRI SOBHANADREESWARA RAO VADDE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some cigarette manufacturers have resorted to excise duty evasion;

(b) if so, the estimated amount of excise duty due from each cigarette manufacturer as on June 30, 1991;

(c) the steps taken to recover the excise duty due from each such defaulter; and

(d) the amount of excise duty collected from the above cigarette manufacturers during 1990-91?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) Yes Sir, during the last three financial years, cases of evasion of Central Excise duty involving an amount estimated at Rs. 248.67 crores against 14 cigarette manufacturing units were made.

(b) Confirmed Central Excise demands amounting to Rs. 126.98 crores were pending realisation against 15 cigarette manufacturing units as on June 30, 1991.

(c) Most of the outstanding dues are linked with cases pending in Customs Excise & Gold (Control) appellate Tribunal and various Courts. In many cases, the Tribunal and the Courts have been moved for early disposal of the cases. For defending the cases involving high revenue stakes, competent special counsels have been engaged.

(d) A sum of Rs. 636.51 crores was collected as Central Excise Revenue during 1990-91 from the 15 cigarette manufacturing units referred to in part (b) above.

Loans sanctioned by Nationalised Banks to Industrial Houses in Tamil Nadu

4136. SHRI K. V. THANGKA BALU: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of loans sanctioned to big industrial houses in Tamil Nadu by the nationalised banks during the last three years;

(b) whether the sanctioned amount has been released to all the industrial houses; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?